

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
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4 BLAKE LEE REYES,

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6 Plaintiff,

7 vs.

8 UNITED STATES ARMY, et al.,

9 Defendants.
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NO. 2:15-CV-00217-JLQ

ORDER OF DISMISSAL
AND CLOSING FILE

12 Plaintiff submitted his Complaint (ECF No. 2), an Application to proceed *in forma*
13 *pauperis*, and a Motion to Appoint Counsel on August 24, 2015. On August 25, 2015,
14 Magistrate Judge Rodgers issued an Order denying the Application to proceed in forma
15 pauperis. (ECF No. 4). The Order pointed out a deficiency in the Application and gave
16 Plaintiff 30 days to "proffer the full filing fee, show cause why prepayment would be
17 inappropriate, or submit a properly completed Application." Plaintiff failed to respond to
18 the Order of August 25, 2015, and on September 29, 2015, this court issued an Order to
19 Show Cause. The Order directed Plaintiff to respond to the Order by no later than
20 October 13, 2015, and cautioned: "Failure to timely respond to this Order will result in
21 dismissal of the action." (ECF No. 9, p. 2)(emphasis in original). Plaintiff has filed no
22 response to the Order.

23 It has recently come to the court's attention, that some of the prior Orders sent to
24 the address provided by Plaintiff were returned as "undeliverable". Plaintiff is
25 responsible for providing the court with a valid address, and updating that address if it
26 changes. The court would also expect a litigant to periodically check the status of his
27 case. Plaintiff has taken no action in this case since the initial submittal on August 24,
28 2015. Plaintiff has not obtained *in forma pauperis* status, and has not complied with the

1 Orders of the court.

2 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

3 Plaintiff's Complaint is dismissed without prejudice. The Clerk is directed to enter
4 this Order and close the file.

5 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The Clerk is hereby directed to enter this Order, mail a
6 copy to Plaintiff at the address provided, and close this file.

7 **DATED** this 20th day of October, 2015.

8 s/ Justin L. Ouackenbush
9 JUSTIN L. QUACKENBUSH
10 SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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